

No. 8246 SH PP NG. ARRIVALS. May 25. YORKSHIRE, British str., 1,427, O. J. H. Atnold, Saigon 20th May, General. T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have now Russell & Co. May 26, PRINTEMPS, French bark, 357, H. Gaillard, Bangkok 25th April, Timber, CAR-LOWITZ & Co. May 26, Zafiro, British steamer, 675, Talbot, Manila 23rd May, General - Russer, & Co. May 26, STAR OF CHINA, British bark, 794, Dark Drab. Charles Smith, Chefoo 12th May, Beans .-MELCHERS & Co. May 26, Reporter, American ship, 1,350, G. P. Spalding, Nagasaki 16th May, Coal,-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. May 26; PALOS, U.S. gunboat, G. D. B. Gliddon, Amoy 25th May. May 26, Daniel, German bark, 418, P. Vogt. Whatapon 25th May, General.—WIELER & Bottles. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. MAY 26TH. Greyhound, British str., for Hoihow. Suez, British str., for Foochow. Douglas, British str., for Swatow. Ping-on, British str., for Holhow. Jason, British str., for Shanghar. Antonio Munoz, Spanish str., for Manila. DEPARTURES. May 26, Sucz, British str., for Foochow. May 26, Peking, British str., for Shanghai, May 26, Douglas, British str., for East Coast. May 26, Antonio Munoz, Spanish steamer, for PASSENGERS.

Per Yorkshire, str., from Salgon.—30 Chi Per Printemp, from Bangkok.-8 Chinese. Per Zafiro, str., from Manila.-Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, family, and servants, and Mr. Otto. Serjert, and 26 Chinese. Per Thales, str., for Foochow.—Sub.-Lieuts. Hubert and Grant Dalton. REPORTS. The British steamer Zafiro reports left Manila 7.30 p.m., 23rd inst., after leaving Manila experienced fresh monsoon with particularly strong numbre de etablissements en exercice, la fabricurrent to W. by N.3

Saigen on the 20th inst., and had fine weather up to 5 a.m., 24th, strong gale and very heavy rain, gale lasting 4 hours; weather thick up to de l'impot foncier et pour convrir les frais de 6 a.m. of 25th.

AMOY SHIPPING.

10, Tiong Seng. Chinese g-bt., from Foothow. 10, Audacious, British frigate, from a oruise. 11, Seewe, British str., from Shanghai. 11. Esmeralda, British str., from Hongkong. · 12, Thales, British str., from Hongkong. 12, Don Juan, Spanish str., from Hougkong: 12, Kwangtung, British str., from Foochow. 12, Walter Siegfried, British bk., from Chefoo. 12. Glucksburg, German str., from Swatow. 12. John Potts, British bark, from N'chwang. 12, Almatia, Amr. 3-m, soh., from Tientsin. 13, Yang Po, Chinese g-bt., from Foochow. 13, Enterprise, Amr. corv., from Hongkong. 13, Sin Kolga, British bark, from Chefoo. 13, Yungching, Chinese str., from Shanghai 13, Chefoo, British str., from Swatow. 14, Hailoong, British str., from Hongkong. 14, Marlborough, British str., from H'kong. Killarney, British str., from Swatow. 15, Fokien, British str., from Tamsui, 15, C. H. Kian, British str., from Hongkong. 15. Keelung, British str., from Swatow. 15. Satsuma, British bark, from Chefoo. 15, Sooloo, British bark, from Chefoo. 16, Picciola, German str., from Hongkong. 16, Zatire, British str., from Hongkong. 16, Sibirien, German bark, from Chefoo. 17. Namoa, British str., from Hongkong. 17, Yungehing, Chinese str., from Swatow. 19, Fokien, British str., from Tamsui. 19, Hailoong, British str., from Tamsui. 19, Tientsin, British str., from Swatow. 20; Yang Po, Chinese g-bt., from Taiwanfoo. 20, Ling Feng, Cust. str., from Light-houses. DEPARTURES. 10, F. Balaugh, Ger. 3-m. sch., for T'wanfoo.

10, Chateaubriand, British bark, for Foochow. 12, Don Juan, Spanish str., for Manila, 12, Seewo, British str., for Swatow. 12. Esmeraldo, British str., for Manila. 12, Thules, British str., for Foochow. 13, Kwangtung, British str., for Swatow. 13, Douglas, British str., for Hongkong. 13, Yungehing, Chinese str., for Swatow. 14, Audacious, British frigate, for Swatow. 14, Killarney, British str., for Foochow. 14, Hailoong, British str., for Tameni. 14, Chefco, British str., for Shanghai. 14, Glucksburg, German str., for Straits. 15, Anglo Indian, British bark, for Nagasaki. 15, Therese, German bark, for Chefoo. 15, Yang Po, Chinese g-bt., for Taiwanfoo. 15, Keelung, British str., for Shanghai. 15, Fokien, British str., for Tamsui: 16, Ling Feng. Cust. str., for Light-houses. 16, Enterprise, Amr. corv., for Foochow. 16, Marlborough, British str., for Straits. 16, Zafiro, British str., for Manila 17, Yungching, Chinese str., for Shanghai, 17, C. H. Kian, British str., for Straits. 17, Namoa, British stn., for Fouchow. , Hans, German bark, for Newchwang, 18, W. Siegfried, British bark, for Foochow. 18, Sin Kolga, British bark, for Nagasaki. 19. Tientsin, British str., for Shanghai. 19, Hailoung, British str., for Hongkong. 20, Fokion, British str., for Tamsui. VESSELS ABRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTE IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. (Per last Mail's Advice)

...Hongkong.... April 11 Glenroy (s).....Shanghai April 12 ...Shanghai Antenor (s.) VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date.) .Cardiff Medora . Cardiff. .Cardiff . Heinrich .Cardiff Dec. 3 .L'nool via Cardiff Honsnwar . Dec. Cardiff. Dec. 14 Andrew Jackson ... Cardiff Dec. 29 . Cardiff Marinin, Dea. 30 Forest King Penarth .Jun. 1 Antwert Jan. 9 Cordiff реопотв ... Cardiff Macedon : Schiller Cardiff General Domvillo , Cardiff-Governor Tilley ... Penarth Fob. 25 Mempedia (s.) Middlesborough Feb. 27 Jupiter Flushing Vespasian (s.) Laverpool Feb. 29 Mar. 15 Guy C. Cross Penarth Lord Jeffrey (s.) ... Glasgow .. Newcastla Nankin (s.) Governor Goodwin Penarth South America ... L'pool vin Cardiff ... Mar. 25 Canton (s.) Cardiff Mar. 26 Mar. 29 Glenartney (8.) Greenock . Penarth Anril Radnorshire (s.).. Eildenhope (s.)..... Cardiff... L'pool via Cardiff April 7 Undino -Anchises (e.).... Plymouth

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MOLONIE DE LA COCHINCHINI CONTRIBUTIONS INDIRECTES.

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1º.--La distillerio devra etre établie à Saigon ou sur le territoire du 20me arrondissement. l'ous les bâtiments seront construits en murs de briques, converts, en tuiles, attendat les une anx autres et rennis dans une enceinte parfaitement close. Un logement convenable composé de deux pieces et des dependances necessaires y sera menagé pour le préposé de la Régie.

2 o .—La fabrication et la sortie des alcobs

seront soumises au régime de l'exercise. Le concessionnaire devra se soumettre à tous les reglements pris par l'autorité locale pour l surveillance et le controle de cette industrie. 3 - Pendant trois annees et jusqu'à concurrence de 2,000,000 de litres, quel que soit le cation pour l'exportation sera exempte de tous droits dans la Colonie. Passé co delai, on une The British steamer Yorkshire reports left fois le chiffre deux millions de litres atteint chaque hectolitro d'alcool experté sera frappé d'un droit de cinquante cents en rempiacement

4 .—Bien que les alcools fabriques dans ce distilleries soient specialement destinés a l'exportation, le Concessionnaire pourre, au renouvellement des baux, concourir pour l'exploitation d'une ou plusieurs concessions pour a consommation dans l'interieur de la Colonie, en cognitiant les droits et en se soumettant a la region contation locale. a distillerie devra être prête fonctionner le ler. Janvier 1885. 60 .—Le gerant devra etre agréé par l'Ad-

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A R. CHARLES SANER POWELL A authorised to sign our Firm. BROWN & Co. Amoy, 15th May, 1884.

NOTICE.

HE PARTNERSHIP between Messrs, market can provide. Nov. 26 . The WINES and Liquous supplied, both at Nov. 30 terminated on the 31st March, 1884, and the the bar and table, are of the VEEY BEST undersigned will continue to practice in his BRANDS. own name at No. 24, Queen's Road, adjoining the Hongkong Dispensary. HENRY J. HOLMES. Hongkong 1st April, 1884.

NOTICE. IN FUTURE MY BUSINESS in China will be A carried on under the style or name of Feb. 1 FRANK H. ENGLAND & Co. I have this day admitted Mr. H. SKER. RETT-ROGERS, China, a Partner in the WINE SHIPPERS. said Firm. FRANK H. ENGLAND. Hongkong, 6th May, 1884.

HE INTERESTS and RESPONSIBILITY of Highland Malt. Mr. WILLIAM HENRY HARTON. . Mar. 22 Junior, in our firm CEASED on the 30th April. Mr. GERALD SLADE and Mr. ALEX-ANDER McCONACHIE are this day admit- yards. Mar. 29 ted Partners in our firm. GILMAN & Co.

April 8 TAURING my absence Mr. H. EBELL is April 9 1 authorised to sign my name per procura-

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but the personal attendance of the Dopositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. 12.—All documents connected with the basiness of the Savings Bank are exempt from

For the Hongkong and SHINGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

WITH Reference to the above, business will be commenced on the 1st May, 1884. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager [844] S Hongkong, 26th April, 1884.

THE BANKEUPTCY AUT 1869. IN HER MAJESTY'S COURT AT AMOY.

N the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with Cruditors instituted by JAMIESON ELLES, of Amoy, lately trading under the style or firm of ELLES & Co. at Amoy. . The Dividend in the above matter will be paid on the 17th instant. Dated this 9th day of April, 1884.

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Hongkong, 20th May, 1934.

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Optional cargo will be forwarded on unless notice to the contrary he given before THREE P.M., TQ-DAY, 23rd instant. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 2nd June, will be subject to rent. A claims must be sent in to us before 4 p.m., 3rd June, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents Hongkong, 23rd May, 1884.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 21st May, 1884. Goods undelivered after the 27th May, 1884,

will be subject to Rent.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 21st May, 1884. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex "DJEMNAH." B T I, No. 3775, One Case. I. MARTIN,

> Acting Agent INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION. NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Resolution No. 2 passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the City Hall on the 30th December. 1882, all SHARES not taken up and the 1st. 2nd, 3rd, and 4th CALLS PAID on or before the 30th June next, will be disposed of by the VIVIE Easternmost HOUSE in CARLTON Directors in such manner as in their discretion they shall think best in the interests of the will leave for the above place on SATURDAY, Corporation.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 25th April, 1884. PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS. [857 | FETHIS COMPANY now grant PASSAGES THROUGH TO LONDON VIA MARSEILLES, including Continental Railway Fares, at the same rate as for the route by sea to London,

> The Fare to MARSEILLES is now similar to that charged to Brindisi or Venice, viz. \$355. A McIVER. Superintendent. Hongkong, 14th March, 1884.

MILAN, offers to the Ladies and Gentlemon of Hongkong his SERVICES as PIANO TUNER, and solicits their liberal patronage. Address to the TEMPERANCE HALL. Hongkong, 6th May, 1884. THE TROPICAL AGRICULTURIST. LL about Coffee, Cinchona, Tea, Couca,

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Kilmarnock and London, 16th November, 1883. JOHN WALKER & SONS. For Sale at \$3 per Case of 1 dezen Bottles. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. DOBT. SIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI LU FOULING COMPOSITION or poildding such Her Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co.; The Douglas Steamship Co.: The Japanese Government. Sole Agent, China, Japan, and Manila.

Hongkong 31st January, 1884.

rised to receive Advertisements.

EDWARD GEORGE.

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INTIMATIONS.

CHART WANTED. A NY GENTLEMAN linving WEST RIVER CHARTS Sheets Nos. 1 and 2 will much oblige by communicating with "INQUIRER"

Care of Office of this Journal. Hongkong, 27th May, 1884. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE. OTICE is hereby given that ORIGINAL SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 63, dated 31st Docember, 1869, for THREE ORD SHARES in the above Company standing in the name of NINIAN CRAWFORD has been lost, and should: the same not be produced before the 10th June Next, a New Scrip Certificate will be issued to Mr. NINIAN CRAWFORD for Twelve New Shares in accordance with the Special Resolution sub-dividing each one old share into four new ones, and no transaction taking place under the said Original Scrip Certificate No. 63, will be re-

cognized by the Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. Hougkong, 27th May, 1884.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI Taking Corgo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIENTSIN. HANKOW, and PORTS on the YANGTSZE). THE Company's Steamship

Captain Milligan, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 27th instant, at Noon, For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 26th May, 1884. FOR NINGPO AND SHANGHAL

HE Steamship

"NINGPO." Captain R. Crawford, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 27th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 27th May, 1884. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship "NAMOA." Capt. Pitman, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 28th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED

Hongkong, 26th May, 1884.

FOR ILOILO. THE Company's Steamship "AMATISTA." Captain Hamlin, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 27th May, 1884. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "KASHGAR,"

the 31st instant, at THREE P.M. A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 27th May, 1884. STEAM TO YOROHAMA VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE.

(Passing through the Inland Sea.)

"THIBET." will leave for the above place on SATURDAY, the 7th June, at Noon. A. McIVER. Superintendent.

Hongkong, 27th May, 1884.

FIHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Hongkong, 27th May, 1884: STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship " MASSILIA." will leave for the above place about 36 hours CIGNOR ALCHIDAY SCALPHE, from after her arrival with the next English mail.

A. MoIVER.

Superintendent

UNION LINE. FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIGGO. THE Steamship "PRINCIPIA." Captain Kermish, due on or about 1st June, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 27th May, 1884.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR ILOILO AND SANDAKAN.

THE Company's Steamship "AMATISTA! Captain Hamlin, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 16th June, at FIVE P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to General Managers.

Hongkong, 27th May, 1884. WAT ANTED-A SITUATION, by a Y YOUNG MANAS CLERK, or TELEGRAPH OPERATOR, having a thorough knowledge of BOILER MAKERS COPPER SMITHS, TATE have appointed Messrs. OverBECK colloquial Chinose and Malay, and good re-

> Hongkong, 9th May, 1884. NOTICE OF REMOVAL. THE Undersigned has REMOVED to the I rear of his former place of business. Entrance from Messrs. Turner & Co.'s Lane. WILLIAM DOLAN. Hongkong, 9th May, 1884.

> > NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

ON and after the First June Next, the STORE of the Undersigned will be REMOVED to the Promises lately in the occupation of Mossrs Ecq da Silva & Co., No. 48, Queen's Boad. H. FOURNIER & Co., Storekeepers and Wine Merchants.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1884. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

N INTERIM BONUS of 15 per cent Containing the names of all the Articles of Europe. Files of nearly every Newspaper pub. A upon contributious for the year 1883, has WARRANTS may be had on application at the above Office on and after the 10th proximo. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Agents.

Hongkong, 29th April 1884.

Notice is hereby given, that in conformity By Appointment to His Excellency the Gowith the stipulation contained in the Bonds of this Losn, the following Numbers of Bonds to be paid off at Par at the Office of the Hono-KONG AND SHANGHAY BANKING CORPORATION in Hongkong, on the 24th day of May, 1884, when the interest thereon will cease to b payable, were this day Drawn at the Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong, in the presence of Mr. GEORGE ROBERT JOHNSTON. Chief Accountant of the said Corporation, and

8755 8768 For Shanghai Taels 500 each.=Shanghai Tack 548,000. For the Hongroug and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. G. R. JOHNSTON Signed) Chief Accountant.

Countersigned, A. B. JOHNSON.

Hongkong. Hongsong, 28th day of March, 1884. THINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

Notary Public,

LOAN of 1881. The INTEREST due 24th day of May current, of the above LOAN, together with the

after that date. For the Hondkong and Shanghai Banking COEFORATION. Agents issuing the Loan,

NOTICE. WATSON AND CO FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS. VERNOR and His Royal Highness the

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Advortisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued unti-Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press shou be sent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication

After that hour the supply is limited.

HONGKONS, MAY 27TH, 1884.

As we imagined would prove to be the case the French version of the Convention of Fientsin, signed on the 11th inst., varies considerably from the translation given from the Chinese text. There are more or less will be commenced. 2388 2395 2405 important differences in each article, but the 2447 2455 2462 versions of Article IV. show the widest discrepancy, as will be seen from the comparison | went ashore is Pedro Blanco, about 40 miles this

FROM CHINESE TEXT. FROM FRENCH TEXT. Franco agrees that in fature, in making or alter- undertakes not to employ ing any treaty with An- any expression which nam, she will in no case might impugn the prestige insert expressions deroga- of the Celestial Empire in 2963 tory to the prestige or dig-drawing up the definitive 3022 pity of China, and she will treaty which it is about 3077 | annulall her existing treat to contract with Annam, 3135 | ties with Annam which in- which will abrogute the 3172 3184 3190 juriously affect Touquin. which will abrogate the previous treaties relative to Tonquin. As the French text is to be considered the 3340 3347 3354 correct one, it thus appears that France has andertaken to make a new treaty with An-

nam which is to abrogate all existing treaties 3573 3579 relative to Tonquin, and as a concession to Chinese self-love, she will refrain from using any expressions derogatory to the ancient 3799 3802 suzerain of Annam, which means, probably, drama, which deprived the affair of the tragic that no reference at all to China will element. As is the case in a large proportion of 3948 3957 3963 3971 be made in the new Annamite Treaty, the motive for the sanguinary act. A Chinaman and wounding another boy, named Wong Ming 4006 4015 4021 4029 There is not the slightest reference had lavished his affections upon a damsel of Him. to China in the two treaties concluded turnished virtue. The course of true love did 4199 in 1874 by France with Annum; but his troubles in the most approved stags method interfered, upon which the defendant stabled him with a report on them by Professor Oliver 4236 4245 4254 the Chinese Government are aware of by killing both himself and his lady love. He on the neck with a fan dagger. He had the 4338 4351 4354 4362 the fact that in the treaty with Anneun con-4409 4420 cluded at Hué on the 25th August last the both are likely to recover French required a distinct renunciation of 4580 4588 all allegiance to China by the King of that country, and this was secured in the follow-

4899 4906 4917 4927 tionship, that is to say, France shall-control the relatingtence we really have amongst us a most un-4879 tions of all powers, including China, with the Annumite Government, which may communicate with the | tiger or other powerful beast of prev. 5092 said powers only through the intermediation of France. tracks of the animal have been seen and are said 5148 China probably regarded this special mention to be undoubtedly those of a tiger. We have of her name as derogatory, and the French 5315 have had consideration to her feelings 5350 5353 5364 5371 this point, but the effect of the Hué treaty will remain unimpaired in fact by the alter-5533 5539 ation, as China will be included in the tales of the sort; in this case, however, there 5573 5581 5485 5593 term "all foreign powers." The great really does appear to be somewhat more than the 5639 5644 5654 point in Article IV. of the Tientsin Con- troyer, and expeditions will doubtless soon be out 5750 5757 5763 vention is, in our opinion, the clause which scouring the wooded parts and jungles of the 5805 5811 5817 states that France is about to draw up a colony in search of Mr. Stripes, or whatever definitive treaty with Annam, which will ab- turn out to have been. 5966 5974 5981 5992 rogate part of the Treaty of the 15th March, 6019 6028 6037 6042 1874, the Treaty of the 31st August, 1874 (which is a treaty of commerce relating chiefly 6205 6213 to Tonquin), and the unratified Hué Treaty. is a centrifugal drying machine, a circular 6262 6269 M. PATENOTRE is now on his way to Hué in revolving receptacle in an iron frame. This re- Rev. E. Faber, I visited the Lo-fan-shan moun-6372 order to negotiate this definitive treaty, and 700 times to the minute, and across it, resting River and 50 miles distant from Canton, for the most or all of our very rare plants, even Rhodo-6413 6420 6431 6435 it will be interesting to note its provisions on the sides of the iron frame work, is a wooden purpose of making an exploration and collection leia Championi, exist, probably in abundance, in and see whether it will provide for the ces- and prevents it from falling into the drying which had been repeatedly reported by travellers 6594 6607 sion of the whole or part of Tonquin or for sugar in the receptacle. The deceased, a youth, to exist there in abundance. 6635 6645 6652 6659 the establishment of a French Protectorate was employed in this department, but had no Having learnt from past experiences the ad- interest which will be valuable acquisitions to merely. In either case, the administration of 6804 6810 6821 6830 the country will be directed by the French, but it is supposed he was playing with it, and transport either himself or his baggage &c., I until flowers and fruits can be obtained, is now and the Customs controlled by them. Possibly some other ports may be opened to 7042 7052 foreign trade. The French will not be on the spot. His body was at once removed spired, the presence of these men enabled me to Chiritas are also doing well, one of them bears a likely to loosen their hold upon the country, 7195 7204 7209 7219 however much they may be inclined to make Mr. A. G. Wise, and a jury composed of Massrs. tionate demands were made. It was possible flower, Begonia sikkimensis is remarkable it appear that they only intend to restore J. A. Cunningham, N. J. Gomes, and C. J. eventually to seeme carriers at gates which were amongst Begonias from its deeply lobed leaves. order and show the Annamite mandarius how 7437 7442 to govern. In the Hué treaty the scheme the inquest was adjourned to this afternoon for a Chinese passenger boat, the accommodation, sides of the leaver, was also secured at the provided for was the government of the post morten examination to be made. 7605 7612 country by native mandarine, under the 7660 7667 supervision of French Residents, the system being pretty much the same as that adopted his report for last year, says :- "The value of the Whampon the crops consist chiefly of puddy, jiberaceous (P) plant, very much in appearance 7813 7818 7828 7837 with regard to the native states in the Malayan 7872 7880 7884 7891 Peninsula under English protection. The Residents were to abstain from interference 8062 with the interior administration of the prowith the interior administration of the procertainly beginning to feel the consequently inbaggage to be brought on by the poolies as
vinces, but were to exercise control over the
creasing prices of his daily necessaries of life.
quickly us they could follow us. The way, road
native functionaries, whose removal they

Provisions in Hoihow, owing almost entirely to

it could not be called, lay across 12 or 14 miles
able plant for this purpose has long been a 8204 8215 8220 8231 native functionaries, whose removal they Provisions in Hollow, onting announced to the separation of flat land, generally rice fields, over which we desideratum.

8262 8269 8276 8281 might in certain events demand, to administ price during the last three years. In order to had to travel on intricate paths, as slippery as if A dwarf kind of hamboo is frequent on the series of the price during the last three years. In order to had to travel on intricate paths, as slippery as if A dwarf kind of hamboo is frequent on the they were greased, often not more than a foot mountains from which the natives make excellent to control the police and to supervise the

It is worthy of remark that Article V. of the new Convention fixes the time when the ber of the pigs experted are for Canton and after dark on the following day, the difficulties Plenipotentiaries of France and China are to meet for the purpose of elaborating a definite- re-expertation to Singapore and America. The discomfort which Mr. Faber and myself had tive treaty, which is within three months, class of pig experted has deteriorated very much | endured in the long and anxious waiting for from which it will be seen the French do not intend to allow the grass to grow ordinary growth are sent away." under their feet before the difficulty finally settled. The delay in coming to 1000 any agreement at all was prolonged enough. and the parties to the settlement are now as eager to see the matter brought to a termination as they were at one time willing to let it drift. Having swallowed the unpleasunt BONDS DRAWN for Redemption, will be draught, Chius is now only anxious to have PATD at the Office of this Corporation on and the difficulty satisfactorily arranged. She has tried very hard to secure " peace with honour;" how far she has succeeded is sufficiently problematical. One thing, how-

ever, is cortain; she has got off very cheaply

from the payment of a beavy indomnity

that would have orippled her resources for some years. The concessions she has made with regard to French trade over the Tonquin frontier with the provinces of Yunnan. Kwangsi, and Kwangtung will cost her nothing, and at the same time they are likely to lead to an important development of commerco which will not fail to cause increment WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS to the revenue. It has ever been thus with his final examination. China. The concessions to foreign countries which have, from time to time, been unwillingly wrong from her, have all conduced position was offered by the creditors. greatly to her ultimate advantage. A great deal of pity has been very needlessly wasted upon China by the humanitarian party in England. China is very weak, and never has she shown her impotence more than during this dispute re Tonquin; but her former opposition had been withdrawn, and an Notice.—To avoid delay in the execution of Government have a valuable fund upon which they can draw in making agreements with Western States in the shape of commercial concessions, and the jealousies of the Powers will serve to prevent any single one among them from demanding any concession that is either unreasonable or beyond the ability of China to grant.

The U.S. gunboat Pales, Captain G. D. B. Glidden, arrived here yesterday from Amoy, which port she left on the 25th instant.

morning.

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Saghalien, with the next outward French mail, loft Saigon and this port.

The Agents (Messra. Butterfield & Swire) similar charge. inform as that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Anchises, from London, left Singapore on the 24th inst for this port.

We understand that the action for breach of promise entered in the Supreme Court has been withdrawn in consequence of some defect in the proceedings, but it is probable that a fresh action

Beyond the fact that the point where the Indo-China S. N. Co.'s chartered steamer Ascalon side of Singapore, we have no further particulars to add to those given yesterday morning. The news of the disaster was received by telegraph out giving any details.

Return of Visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ending May 25th 1884:--

Hongkong was very near being the scene of another tragedy on Sunday, and it was no doubt | Strand by a watchman. the bad quality of the weapon used, or the lack of skill or strength on the part of the here of the that two magistrates may deal with it. first stabbed her, and then out his throat, but did wound bound at the Hospital. his work so indifferently that we understand

Some pigs have been carried away from the Chinese village of Sai-wan, a place beyond the Lycemin Pass near Shan-ki-wan. As the remains of one of the abstracted granters are said to have ARTI.—Amain recognises and accepts the protecto-rate of France with the consequences which accord-condition, it may fairly be assumed that in this condition, it may fairly be assumed that in this veloomo visitor in the shape of a full grown been so often needlessly alarmed by tales of predatory wild animals (it is still but a short time since a well knownyoung sporting gentleman announced that he had shot a panther, which afterwards turned out to have been only an unfortanate cat), that we are slow to give credence to usual amount of evidence of the visit of the desother animal the midnight murderer of pigs may

> A fatal accident occurred at the East Point Sugar Refinery on Sunday night. Amongst the various kinds of machinery in that establishment ceptacle revolves with extreme velocity—about tains, situated about 12 miles north of the East trough, which catches the droppings of syrup, of its rich and interesting botanical treasures business near this machine. The occurrence vantages which the natives will take of a for- gardens. A very fine Cycas, which is probably was not seen by any of the Europeans there, eigner's helplessness if assistance is required to new, but which cannot be positively ascertained knocked the trough into the revolving re- took the p eccution of having several mon from well established in the Garden, and is an object ceptacle, which whirled it round and dashed it our regular staff with me, the wisdom of which of at least as much beauty as any of the other against the unfortunate lad, who was killed was proved by subsequent events. As it trap- fine species in the Cycad collection. Two fine to the Civil Hospital, where an inquest was take a very independent position when additional beautiful white flower with a yellow throat opened yesterday afternoon before the Coroner, bearers were required, and their usual exter- and the other a rich dark blue or purple Gonsalves. The cause of death not being made not excessively exorbitant. The passage from A very fine conifer—Podocarpus argotomia

Mr. M. Boyd Bredon, Assistant-in-charge of distance. From Whampea to Sheklung, the also be attractive plants when producing their the Imperial Maritime Customs at Hoihow, in country is flat and well cultivated. Near bright red berries. An ornamental leaved Zinpigs, poultry, and eggs exported to Hongkong which, as we approach Sheklung, is replaced like a Maranta will also be a serviceable addition amounts to about one-fourth of the total valuation with sugar-case (Sorgham). After disembark to hortleulture. A considerable stock of another of exports. The farmer or pessant who raises ing in pouring rain at the busy town of Sheklung plant of the same order as the last and named the stock is benefited by this enormous and year. Mr. Faber and myself decided to make our way Phrynium barbatum was obtained. This should ly increasing export, but the native consumer is at once for the Lo-fau mountains and leave all be a most useful plant for covering the ground suggested by those interested in the welfare of wide, and standing a few inches only above the the people that a duty of 5 per cent. ad valorem water with which the fields were inundated. Customs were to be entirely confided to eign Customs, following the Canton practice, ing and there, in a monastery, awaited the arrival pass all provisions free, presuming they are for of the coolies, who had all our clothing, provithe use of the Hongkong people. There is only, sions and other necessaries with them. However, Kong mun. A great quantity of the eggs are, of the road having been too great for them to during the last year. There is such a demand their arrival. We would have sent a messenger

LATEST LEGRAMS

LONDON, 24th May. FRANCE AND MADAGASCAR. ly increase their forces in Madagascar. THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

An expeditionary force of cavalry and artillery under General Sir Evelyn Wood will proceed t Assonan on the 3rd June. REPORTED SUICIDE OF A CLERGY. was six.

MAN. It is reported that the Dean of Bunger be SUPREME COURT.

May 26th.

IN BANKRUPTCY, BEFORE THE HON J. RUSSELL, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE.

IN RE LEONG SHAU SHAN, BROKER. Mr. Caldwell appeared for the bankrupt, who now onme up for his discharge, having passed and Official Assigned, said he had no objection to

offer against the debter's discharge, and do op-Mr. Caldwell stated that the bankrupt's last examination was fixed for the 1st Anst. but was postponed to the 8th in order that cortain explanations might be given. Those explanations had been given, and the bankrupt had been allowed to pass his final examination, Mr. Ackroyd having reported that he was satisfied. The affidavit to that effect had been filed: firewood. His Lordship, after referring to the file granted the bankrupt's discharge.

POLICE COURT. May 26th.

BEFORE Mr. A. G. WISE.

the 24th inst.

Glenearn left Singapore for this port yesterday. defendants were arrested on the roof, or in the

labour. All the men went to gaol. JAPANESE ON THE SPREE.

with drunkenness and disorderly conduct in and the Chinese Polypodium Fortunei; near here. East-street, Taipingshan, and they were fined 50 also, were very fine specimens of the beautiful. CHARGE WITHDRAWN. Li Achoi, coolie, was charged with stealing observant companion the Rev. Mr. Fabor, about

\$4.60, the property of Sergt. Creeland. The complainant, who is Cauteeu steward, said In abundance near the mountain stream he should like to withdraw the charge, as there noticed Viburnum Fordia. Hance, which I first | Ohashi Shinosuke, of the Kawashiri Company on Saturday, briefly notifying the fact, but with might be a mistake in the matter. The charge discovered on the West River in 1832, looking was laid thus: he gave the defendant a \$5 note to extremely beautiful with its branches laden and change, and the man only gave him change for S1. gracefully drooping over rocks with the weight instant, and seizing a dagger stabled his wife The man had been with him two years, and his of its bright coral-red fruit. character had been good; so feeling there might be some doubt in the matter, he would like to to a village, a magnificent specimen of the longan withdraw the case.

The prisoner was discharged. CHARGE OF EARRING SNATCHING. pair of earrings from the person of a weman. The sight was exceedingly beautiful and one named Li Amui, on the 24th inst. The complainant said she was walking in Queen's road at midday when the prisoner plants were collected, and 320 species were col

Tong Atak, a boy stated to be 13 years old, had they seen the whole collection leaving at such occurrences, jealousy seems to have furnished but looking younger, was charged with outting

The complainant said that on Sunday he saw not run smoothly, and the swain sought to end the defendant beating his little brother, and he by the Assistant Director, Mr. Thiselton Dyer, A woman gave avidence to seeing the boys fighting and to the defendant using a dagger as

Upon the defendant's mother promising to look after the boy in future, his Wership discharged the defendant.

A DISTURBANCE IN THE CENTRAL MARKET. Four fishmongers were charged with disorderly conduct, assaulting some shopkeepers, and doing damage to property to the extent of 350, on the 23rd inst. Mr. Wotton defended.

The charge of assault was withdrawn, and it appeared there had been a good big fight among the tradespeople there. They were once separated by a Sikh constable, but afterwards renewed the fight with bumboos, fighting irons, &c., with increased vigour; the constable also was assaulted, and he blow his whistle for assistance, when the prisoners were arrested, but not before a good deal of damage was done to the surrounding stalls:

ROTINICAL INVESTIGATION AND PLANT COLLECTING IN SOUTH CUINA.

The defendants were fined \$3 each.

Mr. Ford, Superintendent of the Botanical and Afforestation Department, in his report for

In the month of August, accompanied by the

evident by any external appearance on the body | Canton to Sheklung was made in an ordinary | Hance with silver white bands on the under-

which would be by no means pleasant for a top of the mountains. Two new species of lengthy journey, can be put up with for a short dwarf Ardiciae of the A. primulefolia type will believe, salted or preserved in Hongkong for make a quicker journey. I need not describe the

that pigs which have only attained to half the back to ascertain the cause of the delay, but it was impossible to hire a man, the excuses made being that the people were all too busy with Having secured the use of a room in the Wong Lung Kun monastery, situated at about 600 feet altitude, a commencement was made the young plants of this could be procured, and, following day of the examination and collection like Clethra Fabrii, cuttings would have been The French Government have decided to large agreesible from this station was systematically The highest station was 3,100 feet above sea

level from this I ascended the loftiest peak,

It could scarcely be otherwise. However, after different stages of development in different ascending to a pass, 1,200 feet sittude, near the seasons.

of luxuriant trees averaged 11 feet 7 inches in | was a conspicuous object in one locality, although girth at 6 feet from the ground, and about 150 it did not attain to more than about lifteen feet feet in height. The largest of them was 15 feet in height. 4 inches in circumference. A pine tree which We are informed by Messrs. Russell & Co. party, of whom he arrested the defendants, the Hog Plum, 11 feet in girth, Liquidambar able care to the rearing of Pinus sinensis. The Singapore at noon on Friday, the 23rd inst., for \$5 each or seven days. \$2 to each of the Amongst the trees were also exquisite speci- part of the mountains. mens 80 feet high of Dr. HANCE'S new palm Five more Chinese were brought up on a Caryota ochlandra, the fibre from the leaf sheaths of which is need for rope making, &c. Inspector Corcoran paid a visit to 235, Queen's On their stems at a great height from the ground road West, with a warrant, and found the place were plants of the grand form Polypodium fitted up as a gambling house, with two escapes to | coronans encircling the stems and forming most the roof, and a strong door with a spring lock, beautiful objects. Camphora Parthenoxylon was The Agents (Mossrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.) besides which there were the usual implements also here in abundance with stoms nearly 9 feet have received telegraphic information that the for gambling. They had to break through the in girth. The camphor trees bore on their Indo-China S. N. Co.'s chartered steamer strong door before they could get inside, and the stoms and branches abundance of orchids of two species, which were probably Dendrobium aponicum and a Phalkenopsis, living plants of Fined S5 each, or in default seven days hard both of which are now flourishing in our. Gardens. A very fine tree of Celtis japonica had all its larger branches completely covered with Ilski and Sara, Japanese seamen, were charged the fine Malay orchid Dandrobium aggregatum tree fern Alsonila spinulosa, which had been first discovered in China at this place by my three years ago.

Not far from the So Liu Kun monastery, close tree (Nephelium longan) had all its limbs and asclepiadaceous plant Dischidea chinensis, which U Atai. coolie, was charged with stealing a hitherto had not been seen out of Hongkong. not likely to be soon forgotten. During the expedition upwards of 850 living

snatched her earnings from behind. She pur- lected and dried for the herbarium and brought sued him, and saw him stopped in Bonham back to Hongkong. As the collections were made the boxes and packages of plants were des-The case was remanded till to-day in order patched, a few at a time, in charge of a member of the staff to Hongkong, to avoid any suspicion or obstruction on the part of the natives, who, one time, might have given some trouble to us. Living and dried specimens of all the interesting plants have been sent to the Royal Gardens, Kew, from whence I have been favoured

Twenty-nine species, of which fifteen are ap parently new to science, have not hitherto been found out of China. The plants of the following list which Benhan in the Flora Hongkongensis states had been

known only from Hongkong were seen on the Lo-fau-shan mountains :---Acrostichum docurrens, Hook. Ainslice fragrans, Champ. Alsophila podophylla, Hook. Alyria sinensis, Champ. Ardisia primulofolia, Gardn. Argyreia Championi, Benth. Atalantia Hendsii, Oliv. Bauhinia Championi, Bonth. Balbophyllum radiatum, Hance. Bowringia callicarpa, Champ. Camellia roticulata, Lindl. Camellia assimilis, Champ Calophyllum membranaceum, Gardn. Capparia pumila, Gardo. Cicmatis crassifolia, Benth. Diospyros criantha, Champ. Dischidia chinensis, Champ. Eleocarpus chinensis, Hock. fil. Eurya Macartneyi, Champ. Fiens chlorocarpa, Benth. Ficus impressa, Champ. Nox viridis. Champ. Indigofera venulosa, Champ Itea chinensis, Hook and Arn Millettia Championi, Benth Ophlorhiza pumilà, Champ. Quercus fissa, Champ. Rhus hypoleuca, Champ Rubus leucanthus, Hance.

Samara abovata, Benth.

Senecio Stauntonii, Do. Stinellaria trawioides, Benth. From the discovery of this large number of species of plants which had hitherto been recarded as endemic in Hougkong we may suppose that

some places on the adjacent continent. The living plants introduced to cultivation l this expedition contain many things of very much

brooms, which for many purposes are far superior to the split bamboo brooms universally should be levied on fresh provisions. The For- We arrived at the foot of the hills in the even- used in Hongkong. I made arrangements with a priest to deliver a considerable number of plants of this bamboo, besides several of other the use of the Hongkong people. There is only, sions and other necessaries under the difficulties where the man has not kept his protoo good reason to know that the greater number it turned out, the men did not arrive until I regret to say, the man has not kept his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only, sions and other necessaries under the say, the man has not kept his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only, sions and other necessaries under the say, the man has not kept his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only, sions and other necessaries under the say, the man has not kept his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only, sions and other his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only, sions and other his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only, sions and out, the men did not arrive until I regret to say, the man has not kept his protoo good reason to know that the greater number is only sions and out of the following day, the difficulties miss, although liberal prices were offered for kinds, in Hongkong during last February, but, the plants and his services. . Clethra Fabrii, a shrub of great beauty when in flower, is well worth introducing, but no suf-

> away, and the season was unfavourable for some cuttings which were tried. A most elegant leaved Pterolobuim hearing large racemes of gargeous bright vellow flowers was scrambling in the willest lumpriance over Henry Laning, A.E. Mission, Osaka.... bushes by the walk side. Neither seeds nor

ficiently small plants could be found to carry

It is to be hoped that an opportunity may be De Witt C. Jeneks, A.E.C.P. Mission, Kobs. betanized a move was made to another centre, afforded of introducing the above three plants J. B. Hail, C.P. Mission, Osaka. and so on successively to the end of the time. by a journey, being made when seeds can be obtained of the two latter at least. There are many useful and interesting plants

which was found to be about 3,500 foot above which I observed on the West River when there sea level. The total number of stations staid at im May, 1882, which will deserve a second journey being undertaken so that seeds might be On the mountains themselves there is but obtained of them at the proper season. Botvery little oultivation, and what there is exists unical expedition cannot be rendered complete ties of life, answered: "Real estate, real money; only to a very small extent close to the monas, unless the districts visited can be gone over at and a real good dinner, pone of which can be torios. On account of the steephess of the hills least more than once of an to obtain plants in realised without real hard work.

Cha Shan monastery, the road descended until On the higher regions of the mountains a it reached 800 feet above sea level, and on the plant of great interest is found. This is a new side of the road there is a considerable amount of species of Podophyllum, a plant of the same cultivated land forming, with the hills rising on genus as that from which nodophyilin the prinall sides to from 1,000 to 3,000 feet altitude, a ciple of the celebrated podophyllin pills very beautiful and prosperous looking valley, or . obtained. The natives attach great medicinal kind of plateau. Here, as for 300 miles up the value to the plant, and probably with more rea- of arming the police with swords. West River, the absence of forest sconery is son than the value which is often ascribed by painfully impressed on one. When seen from a them to innumerable plants which they so freely listance of several miles the mountains show a use for all manner of complaints. Podaphyllum Mr. Sangster, Acting Registrar of the Court Nery small area of forest growth on them. How pollatum the source of Podephyllin, is an Ameever, in places where trees have been permitted ricen; plant, and it appears no species of the to remain undisturbed by the reckless wood-out- genus had been found in Asia until a few years ters they have assumed in many places noble pro- ago Mr. Watters, H. M. Consul at Tamsui the bareness of the mountains are invariably named P. pleignthum. The Lo-fau species is surrounding monasteries seeluded in sheltered the second Asiatic one. Both of them are in and rich ravines, and they owe their preservation cultivation here now, the plants of the latter to the protection and fostering care of the priests. have just flowered for the first time in our Even in spite of the sacredness of the localities Garden, where they have been growing for the priests in some places complain of the trou- about two years. The larger one of the two blesome people who frequently make raids on has leaves two feet in diameter, and it is a strik-

the priests' domains for the purpose of securing ling and examental plant. I noticed that nearly every garden contained The trees of Pinus sinensis adjacent to the a few specimens of the Chusan palm, Chammrops Wong Lung Kun monastery are very fine indeed. Fortunet which the natives cultivate for the purbut they are exceeded in magnificence by those of pose of supplying themselves with fibre, obtained the So Liu Kun monastery, secluded at an alti- from the sheaths of the leaves, to fabricate water-

tude of about 800 feet, where six of them, within proof capes.
a radius of about 50 yards in a dense mixed forest Poulownia imperialis with its very large leaves.

With the exception of some healthy young Seven Chinese were brought up on a charge had been blown down and was being cut up I plantations of Cunninghamic sinensis, the confof public gambling at 98, Queen's road West, on | measured and found its height to have been 102 | for which supplies. China-fir for building purit, circumference at 10 ft. from the ground 7 ft. poses, I noticed scarcely any tree-planting opera-P.S. Butlin made a raid on the first floor of 10 inches, and it had 175 annual ring : Rivalling tions. This is different to the case in the West 98, Queen's-road West, and came upon a fantan | these were splendid trees of Mangifera indica, | River districts where the people devote considerthat the Union Line steamer Principia, from while the rest escaped. He seized some money formosana 6 feet 2 inches, Litera sp. upwards of neglect of tree planting in one place, and the London, left Singapore for this port yesterday and gambling implements also. Two informers | 5 ft., and Paratropia cantonensis 4 ft. 6 inches, fostering of it in the other is probably accounted pointed out the sixth defendant as the manager | the latter, which we are accustomed to see as a | for by the facilities of getting the wood to marshrub only, was here, as will be understood from | ket which is afforded by the splendid West River The sixth defendant was fined \$10, or in the girth, a large tree, and on its stem and in the latter case, while in the former there is no seriously injurious organic matter. default fourteen days' hard labour, and the rest branches were innumerable epiphylal orchids. river nearer than eight or nine miles to nearest

YOKOHAMA.

H. E. Kawji, lately appointed minister pending treaty revision. In the U. S. Consular-General Court on 10th | cost out of their own salaries.—Japan Mail.

inst. Captain D. W. Burnham appeared, on remand, to answer the charge of shooting S. Williams on the night of the 4th instant After a consultation between the complainant and the accused, the charge against the captain was withdrawn. His Honour said that although the charge against the captain was withdrawn, i would lie against the chief officer, M. P. Griffith and after expressing his strong disapprobation of the use of firearms excepting in the most, year, making it 150 feet long. The naile which extreme cases, fined him \$50.

A terrible attempt at murder and suicide wa made at Shinya-mura: Hiskusandan, Akita-ken, Peking shops, whose elaborately gilded fronts and on the 4th instant. A respectable man named who formerly went to Italy on the company's business, rose from his bed on the night of 4th in fourteen places, inflicting serious if not mortal wounds. He subsequently stabled himself in the abdomen and throat, and then threw himself into a well from which he was resource trunk covered and festooned with the epiplytal by other members of his household alarmed by the sudden disturbance. Neither man nor victim were likely to recover. In all probability

-Japan Gazette. A severe shock of carthquake of lengthene duration was experienced in Yokohama on the night of the 11th inst. at forty minutes past nine. Shortly before one o'clock on the 16th inst. a at Motomachi. The flames soon spread to the adjoining buildings in every direction, but as three was little or no wind, and owing to th prompt arrival of foreign and native engines, it was extinguished after 70 houses had been destroved. Men from the Samphire and Essen were landed, and assisted to prevent the fire from aproading by pulling down the adjacent houses. The fire is enid to have originated by the upsetting of a kerosine lamp used in the kitchen, and wo men are reported to have received injuries during their exertions at the scene of the con-

dagration.

In corroboration of what "a missionary country, there is already a large and influential the 16th inst. It might do some of our readers good to take an initial trip on the new railway that day, and be present at the opening of the new church. Then, as an evidence of the indirect influence Christianity is exercising on the moral development of the country, we learn that in the provincial assembly of the same Prefecture Gumma), out of 40 members eight are Christians. And one of the reforms they have already accomplished is a deathblow to public brothels, that curse and scourge of Japan. No fresh blood is allowed. now to enter those institutions which are in exis-"nut their house in order." for after that time the existence of the public nuisance is to be forbidden by law. We learn also that in Nagasaki, where utter indifference reigned for years, a curalone reporting an increase of a hundred or more be attempted where suitable land is available in within the last few months.—Japan Mail.

MISSIONARIES IN JAPAN ON TREATY REVISION.

Kivoto on Tuesday, April 22nd, 1884. elations with Western Powers were clearly ex- directed to the question ceptional, and, in the interests of both Japanese | The reply from the Foreign Office on 28th and foreigners alike, exceptional arrangements | March, 1884, was: - With reference to the letter were undoubtedly necessary. But the lapse of from this Department of the 5th of December twenty-five years has placed us in such a widely last. I am directed by Earl Granvillo to forward different position, as, in our opinion, to require to you herewith, for the inspection and use of Sir that at least some of the exceptional provisions of Joseph Hooker, a sample of the wood that is said the existing Trenties should be modified, and to be exclusively used at Foodhowfoo for making that concessions should be made to any just and the chests in which ten is exported thence to reasonable demand of the Japanese Government this country. In forwarding this sample, Her in this direction. The interests created under Majesty's Consulat that port states that it is the existing Treaties certainly demand the most the common pinewood of China (Pinus sinensis), careful consideration of those to whom they are and is produced principally in Tingchowfoo, a entrusted; but, in our opinion, the difficulty of prefecture of the province of Funkien in the safeguarding those interests ought not to stand north-western direction, several hundred miles in the way of a speedy revision of the Treaties, to the north of Foochow, where timber of this such as shall be both just in principle, and a description grows in great abundance and is enerous acknowledgement on the part of eign. Nations of the real progress Japan has made since the present Treaties were framed. Osaka, 28th April, 1884. Arthur W. Poole, Bishop of the Church of England

D. C. Groone, A.B.C.F. Mission, Kioto. M. L. Gordon, A.B.C.F. Mission, Kioto. D. W. Learned, A. B.C.F. Mission, Kloto. D. Davis, A.B.C.F. Mission, Kieto. T. S. Tyng, A.E. Mission, Osaka. John McKim, A.E. Mission, Osaka. T. T. Alexander, A.P. Mission, Osaka. Wallage Taylor, A.B.O.F. Mission; Osaka J. H. De Forest, A.B.C.F. Mission, Osaka. A. D. Hail, C.P. Mission, Osaka-G. H. Pole, C.M. Society, Osaka, John T. Guliok, A.B.C.F. Missibn, Osaka. Chas. F. Wurren, C.M. Society, Osaka. Geo. Allchin, A.B.C.F. Mission, Osaka. Henry Evington, C.M. Society, Osaka. A. R. Morris, A.E. Mission, Osaka. J. L. Atkinson, A.B.C.F. Mission, Kobe James H. Pettee, A.B.C.F. Mission, Okayama. Otis Carey, Jr., A.B.C.F. Mission, Okayama. James B. Porter, A. Presbyr, Mission, Charagawa.
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John B. Brandram, C.M. Society, Nagasaki.
W. C. Kitchin, M.E.C. Society, Nagasaki.

A person being asked what was meant by reali-

NOTES FROM JAPANESE PAPERS.

The Chitose Maru, one of the Mitsu Bishi Steamship Company's vessels, will, we understand, be transferred to the Korean Government. It is rumoured that certain officials are in favour of immediately discontinuing the practice The new Commercial Code will be published in

September, and come into force from the beginning of next year. The committee engaged in the compilation of the Code are daily at work revising and comparing the statutes. It is currently reported that H. E. Kuroda. Advisor to the Cabinet, will be re-appointed portions. These levely and interesting exceptions Formesa, discovered one which Dr. Hance Privy Councillor. He is said to be strongly against taking the Korean indomnity, which followed the disturbances in Secul the year before last, and urges the Government to refund the

first instalment already paid. Our exhibits to the Sanitary Educational Exhibition in England consist of four different kinds, and have already been sent to that country. Mr. Nagai, Secretary of the Sanitary Bureau, accompanied by one medical demonstrator and an attache of the Educational Department, will leave for England on the 18th instant. The editor of the Jin Shimbun has been fined 10 yen at the Court of Minor Crimes, Tokiyo, for not having published an erratum announced in the Kroampo as having occurred in a notification of the Public Works Department. The Jiya Shimbun had previously copied the incorrect form from the Kindmino, but neglected to notice the correction, thoreby violating the Pross Ro-

One Minakawa, living in Masago-cho, Yokohama, together with some eight or nine others. made about 500 kin of sparious too from the leaves of the webota tree, and succeeded in selling about 100 kin to a tea dealer in Hachioji. The fruid having been detected by the authorities. all the enterprising manufacturors are now in durance vile. A sample of the tea was examined at the Sanitary Bureau, and found to contain

We understand that a class for the study of foreign languages has been opened in the Law School attached to the Judicial Department. This has been done for the reason that our Justices are often subject to great inconvenience by to lish and French languages. We hear also, that England, will leave early next month, and it is many in actual service contemplate taking lessons supposed he will be added to the commission on in foreign languages from Professors in the Tokio University. The officials will defray the

CHINA AT THE HEALTH EXHIBITION.

With reference to the Chinese Court at the Health Exhibition the space occupied will be increased by 50 fest more than was occupied last Exhibition last year has been removed to the new end and the additional 50 feet is to contain four sign boards will doubtless have a most picturesque effect. The other portion of the court will contain the official collection, and between the two portions will be flag poles with the usual Chinese banner flags. At either end of the court at the side there will be two entrances, which will lead into a Chinese building which is in course of erection at the present time, and which is the same length as the court. At one end of this building, which will be entirely Chiuese in architecture, will be a restaurant, and at the other a tea-house. The kitchens and outthe unbappy man was in a state of insane frenzy. houses for these will be at the rear, and a gallery will run between the two buildings, roofed over and joining them together. The restaurant and tea house will each be 40 feet by 24 feet, and there will be a versulah rumning round all the buildings 12 feet wide, which will be overfire broke out in a Japanese house occupied by a shadowed by trees, and from whence there will tobaccouist, named Ishiwatari, at 95, Nichome, be a very pretty view over the gardens and ornamental waters. This vorandah will doubtless proves favorite place from which to listen to the band that will play during the time the Exhibition is open. There is also an entrance into the gardens, the doors for the opening being elaboratev carved, the work of the Chinese artist who was attached to last year's Exhibition. There will be about twenty-five Chinese cooks and waiters sent from China to attend to the guests at these two places of restruction. The court and the new buildings will this year be lighted by the are electric light and will prove much more suitable than the meagre light given by the incandescent lights, that the Executive Committee of the Christianity in the East, we have just been inrailway now opened, tapping the interior of the opening of the Exhibition, as the exhibits will Christian church, planted by native pastors, entirely self-supporting, and their new church building, erected by Japanese funds, will be opened on the 16th inst. It might do some of our readers

PINUS SINENSIS FOR TEA-BOXES.

A correspondence on the wood used for tea boxes in Ceylon, has been published. Writing to the Colonial Office (Lendon) on 29th March Mr. Thiselton Dyer states :—Sir Joseph Hooker would remind you that Pinus sinensis, the wood of which is apparently largely used by the Chitence, and a period of six years is given them to mese for the purpose, answers extremely well for plantations in Hongkong and on the neighbouring Chinese mainland, and it has been recently introduced by His Excellency Sir J. Pope Hennessy into Mauritius. It is worth consideration whother its experimental cultivation might not

Mr. Thiselton Dyer had written to the For-

eign Office in Nov. 1883, as follows:-I am desired by Sir Joseph Hooker to inform you that enquiries have been addressed to the Royal Gardens from Coylon as to the nature of the wood used Memorandum on the proposed revision of the lin China for making the chests in which tea is im-Treaties, prepared in accordance with a resolution ported into this country. It is a matter of considertion adopted unanimously at a Meeting of the lable commercial importance, as in some cases In-Osaka and Kobe Missionary Association, held at | dian Tea has proved irretrievably damaged on its arrival in this country owing to the corresive ac-The Osaka and Kobe Missionary Association tion of the wood on the lead lining of the chests. having discussed the question of extraterritoria. The tea has consequently been unprotected from lity in connexion with the proposed revision of damp, and has further been deteriorated by a the Tranties, the undersigned desire to place on flavour communicated by the wood. Under record a formal expression of their opinion, that these circumstances, Sir Joseph Hooker is the time has arrived when substantial medifica- of opinion that it would be worth the trouble, tions should be made in these provisions of the lif the Secretary of State should think fit to existing Treaties which give exceptional privi- invite Her Majesty's Consuls in those parts loges to the subjects and citizens of the Treaty of China from which tea is experted, to inquare Powers, and which are considered by the Japa- into the matter and report, as far as they ire nese Government and people to be an infringe able, as to the nature of the wood most generally ment of their just and sovereign rights as in use. Perhaps the attention of Dr. Hance, an independent nation. The circumstances whose knowledge of Chinese botany is so exunder which Japan was brought into Treaty tensive and accurate, might be particularly

brought down the Min river in rafts, like those soon on the Rhine. Mr. Sinclair adds that this wood is also preatly used for coffins in preference to any other on account of its consistency and durability."

ME STANLEY'S NEXT EX. PEDITION.

In an article on Mr. Stanley and the Congo. the Times explains Mr. Stanley's latest doings and intentions. He has, it appears, succeeded in planting a station at Stanley Falls, some 500 miles further into the interior than Equator Station, where the river leaves the equator in its course southwards. To reach this remote point Mr. Stanley must have passed through the most dangerous part of the river. It is not to be expected that he has accomplished his mission without some display of force; but the article expresses the hope that this has been more passive than active. Mountime Mr. Stanley has resolved, before returning to Europe, to break up entirely new ground, and solve a problem for which goographers at least will be grateful. He intends, in fact, to do what General Gordon would have done had he not, just when about to start for the Congo, beer diverted to Khartoum. He intends to reach one of the Egyptian stations in the Mombuttu country, on the Welle Makua, the course of which constitutes one of the great problems of

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VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO-LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ. ISMAILIA, PORTSAID, SYRIANPORTS NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA 30th inst.

BOMBAY... THURSDAY, the 29th day of May, On or about 11th June

1884, at Noon, the Company's Steamship DJEMNAH," Commandant de Boisseui Baron, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well, as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon

of 28th May, 1884. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until S P.M., on the 28th May, 1884. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency Office.) Contents and value of Packages are For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

I. MARTIN, Acting Agent. Horkong. 19th May, 1884. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO.

AND EUROPE; THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

Connection being made at Yokohama with

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA,

To be followed by the S. S. "ARABIC," on MONDAY, the 9th June, at THREE P.M.

Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to ddress in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, avail- 7 A.M., Post Office opens.

of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, of 10 cents until Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. should be sent to the Company's Offices, ad- 11.40 A.M.. Late Letters may be posted on board dressed to the Callector of Customs, Sar Can-

For further information as to Neight apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. F. E. FOSTER, Agent. Hongkong, 7th May, 1884.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE. PENANG, COLOMBO ${f ADEN, SUEZ, PORTSAID, MARSEILLES}$ MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on theough BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

"VERONA," Captain W. Clement, with Her letters. Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON direct via SUEZ CANAL and usual ports of call on THURSDAY, the 5th June, at Four P.M. TEN A.M., on the day of sailing. Office, Hongkon; The Contents and Value of Packages are re-

gained to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. CHEAP RESERVED ACCOMMODATION can be obtained in this Company's Steamers; for of this Office are allowed (but -particulars apply at the Office.

N.B.—This steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles. A. McIYER, Superintendent. Hongkong, 27th May, 1884.

STEAM COMMUNICATION TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA

THE WEST AUSTRALIAN STEAM SHIP COMPANY'S Steamer "NATAL

. Wood, Commander, under engagement with the Straits and Western Australian Govern-

ments, is expected to leave Singapore for Fromantle, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cossack, Sharks Bay and Geraldton, as notified PROPOSED TIME TABLE. NORTHWARD SERVICE.

Bay, Cossaok, Roebuck Bay, and Batavia, 18th 2nd 13th 18th 28th 11th 2nd March May June July Aug. Oct. Dec. Arriving at Singapore, 4th 19th 29th 4th 14th 28th 19th April May June Aug. Sep. Oct. SOUTHWARD SERVICE, Leaving Singapore, calling at Batavia, Roebnok Bay, Cossock, Shares Bay and Geraldton, 12th 24th 1st 10th 20th 5th 21st April May July Aug. Sep. Nov. Dac. Arriving at Fremantle. 30th 11th 16th 25th 8th 30th 8th April June July Aug. Oct. Nov. Jan. The "NATAL" has a remarkably fine Saloon, and also excellent accommodation for Second and Third Class Passengers. For Freight and Pussage to the above and other Australian Ports, apply to

Agents. Singapore, 5th February, 1884. FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). THE 3/3 L. I. L. American Bark

McALISTER & Co.,

"NAVESINK," Weeks, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freigh ply to

Hongkong, 12th April, 1884. FOR NEW YORK WHE 3/3 L. I. I. German Ship

"ANNA," Schildt, Muster, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 5th May, 1884.

OSEPH GILLOTT STEEL PENS GOLD MEDAL. Paris, 1878.

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THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. TEN-NENT, Glasgow, and Mesars. DAVID CORSAR & Sons, Arbroath. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, January, 1867.

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Hongkong, January, 1884.

MATLS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer Arabic, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 21st, and is due here on or about the 27th instant.

THE FRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Saghalien, with the next French mail, left Singapore at noon on the 23rd, and may be expected here on or about the

STEAMERS EXPECTED: The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Anchises left Singapore on the 24th, and is due here on or about the 31st May.

The steamer Glenearn left Singapore on the

26th May, and is due here on or about the 1st The Union Line steamer Principia left Singapore on the 26th May, and may be looked for here on or about the 1st June.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE

The Postal Guide for 18 date. will be found in the Daily Press Directory. p. 385 large edition, p. 633 small edition. This is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given · A MAIL WILL CLOSE.

For Shaughai.—Per Jason, to-day, the 27th nst., at 11.30 A.M. For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay.—Per Orion, to-morrow, the 28th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foschow.-Per Namoa, to-morrow, the 28th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Amoy and Manila. - Per Zafire, to-morrow, the 28th inst., at 4.30 p.m.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet San Pablo. TYTHE Steamship "SAN PABLO," will be will be desputched on FRIDAY, the 30th A despatched for 3an Francisco, vid Yoko. May, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, hama, on FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:---

2.15 P.M., Registry ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT

THE FRENCH MAIL. $oldsymbol{Day}$ before Departure, for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six 5 p.m., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

Day of Departure. able for one year, will be issued at a Discount 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns couses. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee

the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:---Day of Departure. NOON.—Money Order Office closes.

2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M. when the Post Office closes entirely.

3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on bear the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., THE PENINSULAR AND OBJECTAL STEAM and, where Registration has been neglected, will NAVIGATION . COMPANY'S Steamship make no enquiries into alleged losses of such

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING When it is desired to forward letters to the Cargo will be received on board until TEN United States by a sailing ship which is not no-

A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until tified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary www. worked For further particulars regarding FREIGHT with the name of the ship, and propail to cents and Passage apply to the Peninsular & per half ounce as usual. The Post Office then ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and despatching the correspondence. It is rennested that the letters be posted if possible at least one day before the date fixed for sailing.

To provide means of remitting small sums of money to ar from this Colony and between the Ports of China, the Postmusters and A

purchase Hongkong Postage reign residents.

Persons who send Musters of Tea through the Post in Tins are requested to have them made flat or square instead of round, as it is impossible to pack round tins securely in the mail bags. It is believed that the tea will travel more safely in flat tins, which are not so liable as round ones to be bulged in.

4 by 3 by 11 inches is suggested as a good size. The time should not have sharp corners. The Stamps tendered for sale must not exceed \$50 in value, must be perfectly clean, in good condition, and in strips of at least two, as

no separate Stamps will be purchased. They must be presented personally or accompanied Leaving Fremantle calling at Geraldton, Sharks Letters containing Stamps should be regis-

tered, and the Stamps should be secured from

RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per 3 oz.

Post Cards, each Books, Patterns, and Commercial) Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each Registration Do. with return receipt ...

Commercial papers signify such papers as though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents;

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS. (1.) Privates in H. M. Army or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers.* Bandmasters, Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) Writers, or School-mistresses may send halfounce letters to the United Kingdom by the English Muil at the rate of two cents (one penny) each, or by the French Mail at the rate of four cents (two pence) each. The postage may be prepaid either in Imperial or in Hongkong Stamps, but not by both kinds on the same letter. (2.) To other places not beyond Great Britain [757] such as India, Malta, &co., the postage is 2 cents (one penny),

(3.) The same privileges apply to letters addressed to the Private and Non-commissioned Officers named above. (4.) The letters must not exceed half an ounce No handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent. even with the ends open. 5.—If from a Schier or Sailor his class and description must be stated in full on the letter,

[896] the cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship. &c... in full. If to a Soldier or Suilor, his class and description, with name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full. (6.) Soldiers and Sailors have no privileges with regard to books or papers, nor can these be prepaid with Imperial Stamps.

But not Warrant Officers, vis: Conductor, Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswin, or Carpenter.

YOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS Neither the CAPTAINS, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crows Hongkong Harbour: ATALANTA, Ger. str., Pfaff.—Sigmssen & Co.

120 of the following Vessels during their stay in OUND VOLUMES of the China Overland C. T. HOOK, Brit. str., Wm. Jarvis.—Tung Kee. HAMPSHIRE, Brit, str., A. Child.—Russell & Co. ORION, A. H. str., G. Maharsich.-Melchera . & Co. VORTIGERN, British steamer; J. Brown.

4 X 1 6 6 7 7 4 9 THE INPLUENCE OF MUSIC. "Is it the moved air or the moving sound · That is Life's self and draws my life-from me And by instinct ineffable decree . Holds my broath quailing on the bitter bound? Nay, is it Life or Death, thus thunder growned. That 'mid the tide of all emergency Now notes my separate wave, and to what sea Its difficult eddies labour in the ground? Oh! what is this that knows the road I came. The flame turned cloud, the cloud returned to flame, The lifted, shifted storps and all the way !-That draws around mo at last this wind warm space, And in regenerate rapture turns my face.

D. G. ROSSETTI. "I listened to the music broad and deep-I heard the tener in an ecstacy Touch the exect, distant goal, I heard the cry Of prayer and passion, and I heard the aween Of mighty wings, that in their waving keep "The music that the spheres make endlossly; Then my cheeks shivered, tears made blind each eye As flame to flame I felt the quick blood leap, And through the tides and moonlit winds of sound, . To me love's passionate voice graw audible. Again I felt your heart to my heart bound. Then silence on the viels and voices fell: But like the still, small voice within a stell. I heard love thrilling through the void profound." PRILIP BOURKE MARSTON.

Upon the devious coverts of dismay?"

AN HONEST VERDICT. A man mot a girl in a lonely place and forcibly kissed her. She was terribly indiguant, and had him arrested. She gave an account on the witness-stand of how he throwing his arms around her, imprinted ! no defence, and the jury was expected to promptly convict him of assault. They rew-w-would like to ask the young lady two questions," the foreman said. The judge consented, and she went on the stand. d-did you wear the j-j-jersey that you've reply. "And w-w-was your ha-ha-hair banged like that?" "Yes, sir." "Then, your honour, we acquit the p-p-prisoner on the ground of emo-mo-tional insanity."

INCONVENIENT NAMESAKES who is always being taken for him, or to did boy and fought like a devil. All our have a namesake to whom his letters are officers had hand-to-hand fights with the recently. But probably the most notable the heart." case of annoyance in this line was that related in connection with Louis Philippe. The Citizen King could not walk along a reading in large letters over a shop front, closely in all respects to the colleges design, sporting dogs to hunt with. The Colchians "Louis Philipe fait des brioches." A led for the other sex. The girl undergra- are said to have bung up their dead people Police of prosecuting the man for indulging celebrate their class days, and plant their an idea that thereby they were taking them

DISCOVERY OF CHARLES I.'S COFFIN.

substance transversely, leaving the surfaces their champion was seized; but on the other The spirit of the dead is addressed - Soul of the divided portious perfectly smooth and hand, they claim that they captured 24 dis- of the dead, depart | take the path-the even, an appearance which would only have tinet sets of back bair from their opponents, ancient path-by which our accestors have been produced by a heavy blow inflicted and hence that the victory was really with gone before thee. Leave thy sin and imwith a sharp instrument, and which furnish. the Freshwomen. The question is a new perfection here. Return unto thy home ed the last proof wanting to identify King one in educational angala, unless the once more; assume a glorious form." This Charles I. After this examination of the proposal already made to mibmit it for ancient byma refers plainly to burying and Hermano head, which served every purpose in view, decision to the Presidents of Yale, Harvard, not to burning, the body, and this is in con- Lucia and without examining the body below the and Columbia is accepted; it way remain formits with the history of all the Indo- Mario nock, it was immediately restored to its unsettled and a fruitful cause of serpetual European nations, which began by interring Mary C. Bohm Nov. 23 Bande situation, the coffin was soldered up again, discussion among the students of Stalace their dead, and only afterwards adopted the Omega

and the vault closed.

DOSE FOR A DOCTOR. Alexandre Dumas was one day the guest of Dr. Gistal, a leading practitioner in Mar- editor to his wife. "the way water is wasted soillos. After dinner, while the coffee was in this city." It is indeed, she replied, being handed round, the host requested the absent-mindedly. "A fine should be imout his pencil, he wrote under the eyes of anything; but the way the water privilege Dr. Gistal came to our town, To cure dis- stomach." "I bog your pardon, my dear," been pulled down- " You flatterer " you were enving; my thoughts were on ed; but the post went on-" And we have say I can't stomach it !" "Can't stomach made a larger cemetery."

THE BLACK WATCH AT

TAMANIEB. We have seen (says the Army and Navy Gazette) an extremely interesting letter from an officer of the 42nd, from which we venture to give the following extract, in the otio writers frequent reference is made to a hope that the graphic account of the "rally" work entitled "The Teaching of the Aposand of the repulse will be read with pleasure | tles," which was regarded as among the by the friends of the officers named, and by earliest and most valuable of the uncanonmust have put His shield round our brave Church, Philotheos Bryennios, well known gallant officers. The colonel is a splandid as the discoverer of the complete text, of man. He shot two Arabs dead, and would Clement of Rome, came across what he behave shot more, only the Government re- lieves to be the veritable "Teaching of the volver ammunition missed fire. An Arab Apostles." Dr. Harnack, one of the most threw a spear, and just passed the colonel. eminent of all the German authorities on Another throw a stone at him, and hit and patriotic literature, has published a translawounded him on the head and knocked his tion of the Greek text, or portions of it, in helmet off, and he was bareheaded under a one of the German reviews. He accepts it burning sun, till gallant Norman MacLood as nuthentic, and other scholars of distincgave him his belmet, and wrapped a cloth tion take the same favourable view of the round his own head. Dorr little Brophy was document. But there would seem to be some hit in the legs, and only saved his brave life | grounds for the exercise of caution in acceptgazed at her intently, and then suddenly by hanging on to the Colonel's horse's tail, ing it. The document enjoins the repeti-When we rallied and formed 'ine, I imagin- tion of the Lord's Prayer three times a day, ed I must be the only officer alive; but to and regular fasts on Wednesdays and Fricool as if he were partridge shooting; little must have been laid down at a later date turned to the court-room. "The ju-ju-jury Bronky lame but pretending to be sound; than the first half of the second century. Sandy Kennedy, with his eyeglassinhis eye. Formal prayers, about which Justin Martyr and his wife's watch round his neck; Bald, says nothing in his very minute description a gigantic subaltern, sweating, and with a of the Lord's Supper, are enjoined in connecgot on now?" "Yes, sir," was the demurs John M'Lcod's son, Duncan, wounded, swear- and no one was to be admitted to communto be at the niggers again. He is a splen- Literary Notes in Daily Mail.

always being delivered. An example of the arabs. They pulled the kilts off our another person was illustrated in the Euston ribbons off my kilt, but I killed him. dead. The most simple treatment of the divorce suit, where one G. H. Smith, who They are most awfully plucky. I saw one departed was perhaps that of the Magi in

ANOTHER "RUSH."

yards of the spot where the remains of the past winter. Bands of Sophomores, stimu- the walls of Consentia. The Royal sepulchre. Dake of Albany are deposited. The follow- lated by tea, had entered the rooms of Fresh- adorned with the splendid spoils and trophies ing narrative of the investigation which took women, and by confiscating their hairpins, of Rome, was constructed in the vacant bed; place at Windsor on the 1st April, 1813, in compelling them to surrender any jam or the waters were then restored to their the vault of King Henry VIII., was drawn peanuts brought by them from home, and in antural channel, and the secret spot where up by the late Sir Henry Halford, the Court some instances removing curl papers and the remains of Alaric had been deposited Physician, and duly certified by the Prince straightening the hair of the victims with was for ever concealed by the inhuman Regent, both of whom were present. Lord mucilage, had created some little ill-feeling massacre of the prisoners who had been Clarendon in his "History of the Rebel- between the classes. With a view of remov- employed to execute the work." The practice hon," had raised doubts as to the actual in- ing this ill-feeling by substituting a legiti- of suttee, by which a widow burnt herself terment of the body of King Charles at mate "rush" for illegitimate "hazing," voluntarily on the funeral pile where her Windsor, as, when searched for many years committees of Freshwomen and Sopho-defunct husband was reduced to ashes. later, aftenthe Restoration, it could not be mores arranged the great back-hair prevailed in India. "For a long time," says found. But it seems that while the work- rush of last Monday afternoon. As the Professor Monier Williams, "this practice men engaged in opening the Royal vault to freshwomen did not care to carry was thought to be so intimately connected deposit the body of the late Duchess of canes, but did insist upon wearing back hair, with the religious belief of the Hindoos that Brunswick were making a subterranean pas- it was agreed that at four o'clock on Monday our Government did not venture to put a sage from the middle of the choir to the last the two classes should meet on the stop to it. In consequence of our halfnew Royal mausoleum, they accidently broke college campus, and that one Freshwoman, sanction, the number of widows actually reaway a part of the vault of Henry VIII. to be chosen by her classmates, should appear | turned as burnt rose in one year to 800, which was not then intended to be opened, with back hair in position. The Sophomores | though in other years, from 1815 to 1828, it Through the aperture made the workmen were then to make a united effort to deprive varied from 300 to 600." In the next year were enabled to see not only the two coffins the Freshwoman of her back bair and the a law was passed which suppressed without which, it was presumed, held the remains of hair during the rest of the torm. The rush | Staddha ceremony is briefly this. The hair King Charles I. On representing the took place promptly at the appointed hour. It the deal person is cut off-this circumstance to the Prince Regent, his The classes were not unequally matched, for reminds one of a Greek usuage in which Royal Highness perceived at once that a although there were 28 Freehwomen and 24 | the nearest relation cuts off his own hair; doubtful point in history might be cleared up Sophomores, the aggregate weight of the and his nails are cut close-this is also by opening this vault. An examination was, latter was largely in excess of that of their | done by Australian natives to prevent the therefore, made the day after the funeral of competitors. The Freshwoman who were ghost from burrowing out of the grave. the Duchess of Brunswick. On removing the the back hair for which the battle was to be Thos relations walk in solemn procession, pall a plain, leaden coffin, with no ap. fought was placed in the centre of a compact | dishevelled, and with their garments hangpearance of ever having been enclosed in mass of her classmates, who were resolved ing in shreds—here we have a reflection of wood, and bearing an inscription, "King to defend her at all hazards. The Sopho- the Jewish customs. A heap of firewood is Charles, 1648," in large characters, im mores, confident of an easy victory, had collected and piled inside the sacrificial mediately presented itself to view. A square made few preparations for the contest, ex. ground, which has before been excavated. opening was then made in the upper part of copt that of putting on their oldest clothes. Over it is spread Kusa grass and the skin the lid, of such dimensions as to admit a and they were guilty of the extreme folly of the sacrificial animal, generally a black clear jusight into its contents. Those were of wearing their own back hair, a mistake goat. Then the corpse, previously sprinkan internal wooden coffin, very much which, as the event proved, was destined to led with water by means of a branch, is laid decayed, and the holy, carefully wrapped make the struggle a fruitless one. For on the pile, and by its side the widow lays up in a cerecleth, into the folds of which a nearly half an hour the two classes struggled herself down. Only for a short time, howquantity of untuous matter mixed with resin, for the mastery. The campus was strewn lever; for the brother-in-law soon cames her Doretta us it seemed, had been inclied, so as to ex. with torn skirts and sowed thick with pins, to rise up, repeating a sacred verse which Plodden clude the external air. At length the whole and the faculty, hanging on the outskirts of tells her that she has sufficiently fulfilled the face was disengaged from its covering. The the combatants, and wringing their hunds, duty of a wife and mother. He takes up hair was thick at the back part of the head, were powerless to restore order. Gradually also off the pile the bow of the dead man, and in appearance, nearly black -- a portion of the Sophomores fought their way to the thereby indicating that his strength and it having been cleaned and dried was found to fresh woman who were the back hair, and arms are left to those who are to succeed him. be of a beautiful dark brown colour; that of finally they triumphantly tore it from her Then, as the fire is lighted the funeral hyun the beard was a redder brown; on the back head. At the same moment the Freshwomen, is recited—a poem which may be compared part of the head it was more than an inch in inspired by a happy thought, simultaneously to the hest efforts of European poets. "Open length, and bad probably been cut so short seized the back hair of their opponents and thy arms, O, Earth, and with loving welcome Gitmilia for the convenience of the executioner. On fled to their rooms, each bearing her trophy, receive the dead with gentle pressure" Solidor. holding up the head to examine the place of The "rush" was over, but it is still under this is one of the favourite verses. "Enseparation from the body, the fourth cer- cided whether the Freshwomen are to wour shroud him tenderly, even as a mother folds vical vertebra was found to be cut through its | back hair. It is true that the back hair of her soft rainient round a beloved child."

HE COULDN'T STOMACH IT. "It's a burning shame," said a St. Louis great novelist to enrich his album with one posed on overshody," continued the editor, of his witty improvisations. "Certainly," | "who allows it to run to waste while the replied Dumas, with a smile; and, drawing reservoiris so low. I can put up with almost his entertainer, the following lines: - "Since is abused in this city is something I can't eases casual and hereditary. The hospital has said his wife, " but I didn't quite catch what here exclaimed the doctor, mightily pleas- something else." "This water business ! I water!" replied the lidy, still somewhat preoccupied; "why, I know you can't, my dear."-Philadelphia Call.

AN ALLEGED REMARKABLE

DISCOVERY. In Clement of Alexandria and other patrionly lost one I can't tell. God is good, and lost. Lately a learned prelate of the Greek my joy, we all met. Old Charlie Eden, as days-requirements which, in our opinion, blue acket's hat on-be lost his helmet. Sir tion with the observance of that sacrament; Atala ing he was all right; old Bob Coveny, smil-line who had not been baptised. Only two ing with confidence; and Norman MacLeod, classes of church officers are named, and, so with his firm lips, thirsting for more bloods, far as the modern bishop is concerned the joined us the day before the battle, in his sion, but makes allowance for sprinkling in

Speid, looking as calm as a judge; and document is fatal to his pretonsions. We Glan young Macrae, an Argyleshire lad, who only may add that this MS. teaches trine immer- Grev It is rather doubtful which is the more trews, and armed with a spear-head, crying the absence of a sufficiency of water .- Ham DISPOSING OF THE DEAD. Probably no ceremonies have been more troubles involved in having the same name as men, and one of them pulled the green various than the last honours paid to the Kash had emigrated and remained alive, was con- man just dead, and he was crawling towards | ancient Persia, who left the bodies to be de- Nam fidently surposed to be the same as another | us to kill a white man before he died. I | voured by the wild beasts of the field. A | Ning . G. H. Smith, who had tried to emigrate, took a splendid spear and killed a great somewhat similar process was that of the Ping but had been drowned on the voyage. About many wounded men with it; it went into Parsees, who carried their dead to the top Pow almost equally disagreeable must M. Jules their hearts like lightning, and their blood of high towers, where they were certain to | San Ferry have found it to be called by exactly flowed out on the sand. I had a narrow be immediately preved upon by the vultures. Salte the same as the ladies' bootmaker whose ac- escape from a half dead Arab; he sent his The Kaintchadiles, going a step further, Sea tion in the Paris law courts we mentioned spear close to my leg, and I stabbod him in actually keep dogs for the express purpose Volume of cating up the defunct members of the Vort community. The hunters who are so to be disposed of look forward with pleasure to Year by year the colleges devoted to the their fate, being assured that in the next certain street in his own capital without education of girls are approaching more world they will have the better sumply of design was cherished by the Prefect of duates already study Latin and Greek; in the branches of tall trees, possibly from in what the court considered a most inferior class ivies. In some colleges, the New York | part of their way to the regions above. The joke; but, on the registers of the Etat Civil Times save, the girls are learning to row, and Egyptian mummy, after being kept for a being searched, the bun-soller was found to it is even rumoured that the secret cigarette long time in the house of the relations, was Ann be really the offspring of parents called is smoked by presumably fair lips, and that taken to the banks of a lake. Then a regular | Ann Philippe and to have received at his baptism | football-played with a ball locasty stuffed | judgment was held before 42 judges. | Cats the Christian name of Louis. It was, there- with feathers-has lately been introduced Accusations were invited from any one who | Care fore, impossible to attack him openly, and into a female college situated not very for chose to appear, and if the charges so made Cont the authorities resorted to the cunning from this city. The most remarkable ins- were sustained, the spirit is supposed to be stratagem of pensioning off the culprit. The tance of the progress made in girls' colleges | delayed for a greater or less time on its offending placard was, accordingly, removed; towards a complete equality with other passage. At length, however, the Coptic Esm but when, after a few years, pension ceased to colleges was furnished the other day Charon takes them over in his boat, having Figs be raid, the passers by were again amused by the girls of Stalace Female College, a small plate of gild or silver in their Franch by seeing the door adorned with a fine large in Ohio, by a hotly contested black-hair rish mouths. Perhaps the chief peculiarity of Mur. advertisement, "Louis Philippe continues to between the Sophomores and the Fresh- the classic ideas on the subject of death was Mari make buns." The pension from that time women. Everyone knows the nature of a the superstitious horror of leaving the dead never ceased to be paid as long as the Royal college cane rush. It is a struggle between unburied. The taste for gorgeous funerals, Louis Philippe remained in the enjoyment the two lower classes -the Freshmen trying exemplified in the obsequies of Alexander, Prince of his Crown. Whether M. Jules Ferry the to keep possession of a cane and the Sopho whose remains were drawn in a golden car Rep greater will adopt the same device in respect mores trying to take it away from them. If by 84 mules during the space of a whole of his boot-making fellow-citizen, is a quest the Freshmen are successful, they carn the vear, is attested by scores of historic scenes. tion which he is probably considering with right to carry capes during the rest of the One of the most simple and striking of these all the gravity which the occasion demands. year; but if they are unsuccessful, they must occurred at the death of Alaric the Goth. be cancless until in their turn they become | " The ferocious character of the barbarians Sophomores. A caue rush is perhaps the was displayed in the funeral of a here whose least offensive form of "hazing," but it is valour and fortune they celebrated with usually very destructive to the clothing of mournful applicase. By the labour of a The coffin of King Charles I, was discover- the contestants. There had been a good captive multitude they diverted the course of ed (says the Pall Mall Gazette) within a few deal of hazing at Stalace College during the the Busentius, a small river that washes supposed to contain the bodies of King other Freshwomen were to defend her, and difficulty and with entire success a custom Galveston Henry VIII. and Lady Jane Seymour, but Lupon the issue of the struggle was to depend | which, in point of fact, is not even hinted at | Louise a third also, covered with a black velvet pall, the right of the Freshwomen to wear back in the Vedas or by Manu. The orthodox Satsuma

habit of cremation .- Wlobe.

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Esser	American corvette	6	800	Com. A. H. McCormick	Yozohama
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Juniata	American corvetto	8	900	Com. P. S. Harrington	Korea
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Lutin	French gunboat	4	100	Captain Dabar	Hongkong
Marg. del Duero	Spanish comboat	3	550	Capt. José Ca'deren	Hongkong
Minin	Rassian frigate	7.7	6000	Captain Grouquist	Nagasaki
		6	750	Com F. J. Higgiuson	Nagasuki
Monocacy	American gunboat	×	80	Commander Boyle	Nagasaki
Morge	Russian gunboat	13	250	Captain Kalagerass	Korea
Naes laik	Russian corvette			Captain Aschenborn	Hongkong
Nautilus	German gunboat	7	80	Commander Valrondt	Vladivostoc
Nerpa	Russian gunboat	13	250	Capt. B. Ivashentzoff	Na gasaki
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Palos	Amorican gunboat	6	£ 800	Captain Hensing	Nagasaki
Prinz Adalbert	German sorvette	14			Korea
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Skololoff,	Russian corvette		PA .	Captain Blazedarell	Nagasaki .
Sebol	Russian gunboat	7	80-		Shanghai
Stosch	German corvette	18	2500		Маско
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Villars	Franch corvette	15	600		Shanghai -
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